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**FOR: AMBASSADOR FARLAND (PAKISTAN)**  
**FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER**

In the light of recent events, the President has asked that I obtain directly from you, through this channel, your own personal assessment of the situation in Pakistan and your personal recommendations on the options which are open to us with respect to it.

Please respond to me through this channel.

Best personal regards.

State Dept. review completed

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